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Washington State Attorney General's Office
Attorney and Law Clerk Recruitment
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Seattle, WA 98164

Name: _____
(Please print)

For purposes of the following questions, "participate" means to participate personally and substantially. If you have any questions about whether the participation meets this standard, please include the information on the questionnaire and note that the participation may not meet this standard.

CONFLICTS SCREENING QUESTIONNAIRE

The Attorney General's Office is committed to compliance with the Rules of Professional Conduct for attorneys. To assure compliance, the AGO requires that all new attorneys and staff provide information identifying potential conflicts that might preclude assignment to a particular division or require screening from a particular matter. To assist us in meeting our obligation, please provide the following information:

1. Are you now or have you previously been engaged in the practice of law, or employed by an attorney, firm, or government law office engaged in the practice of law?
2. If the answer to question 1 is yes, did you participate in the representation of any party in a matter where the party's interest was materially adverse to that of the State of Washington, its agencies, or its officers or employees?
3. Are you now or have you previously participated as a judge, arbitrator, mediator, adjudicative officer, or as a law clerk to such a person, in a matter in which the State or any of its agencies, officers, or employees were a party?

4. Is there any other matter, person or entity that might reasonably present a conflict of interest or limit your ability to perform work for the Attorney General's Office or represent a state agency or individual? You are not required to disclose any pending or contemplated complaint or dispute for which the law allows you to remain anonymous (e.g., whistleblower); however, you are responsible for not accepting assignments that would violate conflict of interest or confidentiality provisions of the Rules of Professional Conduct or other laws with regard to such matters.
5. If the answer to any of questions 2, 3, or 4 is yes, please identify all such matters, including the state agency, official, or employee involved. If known to you, please also include the name and division of the attorney representing the state agency, employee, or officer with respect to any such matter.

Candidate's Signature

date

To be completed by reviewer:

Signature of Reviewer

Date Reviewed